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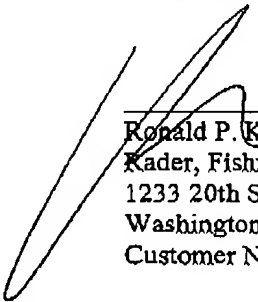
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Title

MEASUREMENT PLATE THEREFOR,
Detection kit, ~~assay plate to be used therein~~, detection method, evaluation method, polyclonal
antibody of frog vitellogenin and ~~process for producing the same~~
TO MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF

Preliminary Class

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